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SUBJECT GSP

REF GEORGETOWN 273

1. ACCORDING TO JNEC, UNDER RULES OF ORIGIN IN CANADIAN SCHEME AND LIME AGREEMENT, ANY MATERIALS, PARTS OR PRODUCE OF CANADIAN/EEC ORIGIN USED IN MANUFACTURE OF GOODS SHALL BE DEEMED TO HAVE ORIGINATED IN BENEFICIARY COUNTRIES. JNEC WISHES KNOW IF THERE MIGHT BE SIMILAR PROVISION UNDER CONSIDERATION IN FUTURE WHEREBY JAMAICA COULD INCLUDE ANY U.S. RAW OR PACKAGING MATERIALS NOT SUBSTANTIALLY TRANSFORMED (U.S. MADE BOTTLES, TOMATO PASTE) AS LOCAL CONTENT. JNEC OFFICER NOTED THAT CANADIAN AND LIME SCHEMES HAVE USED THIS PROVISION AS AN INCENTIVE TO ENCOURAGE BENEFICIARY COUNTRIES PURCHASE MATERIALS IN DC'S SIGNATORY TO AGREEMENTS.

2. AS ANTICIPATED IN REFTEL, MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY OFFICER BROUGHT UP SUBJECT OF JAMAICAN EXCLUSION FROM GSP TREATMENT FOR 1976 SUGAR SHIPMENTS SINCE 1974 EXPORTS TO UNITED
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STATES - J\$32,733,184 - EXCEEDED \$25 MILLION LIMIT. HE WOULD

LIKE KNOW IF SUGAR EXPORTS TO UNITED STATES AT OR UNDER \$25
MILLION LEVEL FOR UPCOMING 1976 CROP WOULD BE ELIGIBLE FOR GSP
CONSIDERATION AND BE POSSIBLY EXEMPT FROM DUTY

3. PLEASE ADVISE PARAS 1 AND 2. GERARD

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